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4th Annual City of Falls Church Student Art Contest Underway

FALLS CHURCH, VA. – The 4th Annual City of Falls Church Student Art Contest is underway. Enter today if you like to draw, paint, take pictures or create other forms of art!

The City will select 13 artwork submissions to feature in the City's 2005 Annual Report, Services Guide and Calendar. The Mayor and City Council will present students whose work is selected with a plaque and a prize at a City Council meeting this fall.

Students entering the contest must either attend a City of Falls Church school or reside in the City. Submissions will fall under four categories: kindergarten through 3rd grade, grades 4 through 6, grades 7 through 9, and grades 10 through 12. No more than three entries are allowed per person.

Artwork submissions must meet the following requirements:

- Must be no smaller than 3" x 5" and no larger than 11" x 17" vertically or horizontally
- Two-dimensional art can be created in any medium
- Three-dimensional art (3-D) can be created in any medium, but must be accompanied by a 3" x 5" or 4" x 6" color photograph of the work
- All submissions must be submitted flat, not folded or rolled (unless the submission is a 3-D submission, such as origami art)
- Submissions must include the student's first and last name, age, grade, school attending, name of parent or guardian, teacher's name, and phone number on the back of the artwork.

Artwork submissions must not be edible (e.g., *Cheerios*, *macaroni noodles*, etc.), need to be stored at a certain temperature or in a special setup, or have sharp edges or objects within the work.

Mail or deliver entries to: Office of Communications, Falls Church City Hall, 300 Park Avenue, Falls Church, VA 22046-3332. All entries must be received by Friday, October 1, 2004. For more information, call 703-248-5003 or e-mail publicinfo@ci.falls-church.va.us.

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